

Spanish IV

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This fourth year of Spanish is a continuation of the first three years. The student will continue to sharpen listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills through activities that are based on pedagogically proven methods of foreign language instruction. Throughout the five units of material, students learn to express themselves using an ever-increasing vocabulary, present-tense verbs, past-tense verbs, articles, and adjectives. Grammar is introduced and practiced in innovative and interesting ways with a variety of learning styles in mind. Culture is sprinkled throughout the course in an attempt to help the learner focus on the Spanish-speaking world and their culture, people, geographical locations and histories.

COURSE OBJECTIVES: Throughout these 2 semesters, the student will

- talk about things they want others to do
- talk about the future
- talk about the past
- talk about people in the Spanish speaking world
- talk about celebrations in the Spanish speaking world
- talk about the past, present and future.
- talk about what they desire others to do.
- talk about their own future activities.
- understand native speech on certain topics.
- expand their knowledge about Spanish speaking cultures and countries.

PREREQUISITES: Spanish 3

COURSE LENGTH: Two Semesters

REQUIRED TEXT: none

COURSE OUTLINE:

SEMESTER A

UNIT I: PEOPLE

UNIT II: ACHIEVEMENTS

UNIT III: WISHES AND DESIRES

UNIT IV: ACTIVITIES

UNIT V: CELEBRATIONS

SEMESTER B

UNIT VI: POSSIBILITIES

UNIT VII: THE PAST

UNIT VIII: THE ARTS

UNIT IX: CURRENT EVENTS

UNIT X: WRAP UP AND REVIEW